

Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 STATE 055339

62

ORIGIN EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 MC-02 PM-03 EB-07 L-02 INR-07 SY-05

/039 R

DRAFTED BY EUR/SE:RWERDMAN:CF

APPROVED BY EUR/SE:NLEDSKY

PM/ISO- MR HAGERTY (SUB)

PM/MC - MR WALSH (SUBS)

----- 014999

R 121919Z MAR 75

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY NICOSIA

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 055339

STADIS////////////////////////////////////

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, CY, ASEC

SUBJECT: RIOT CONTROL EQUIPMENT FOR GOC

REF: A. NICOSIA 949; B. NICOSIA 756; C. NICOSIA 532

1. REGRET DELAY IN RESPONDING TO EMBASSY REQUEST REGARDING GOC PURCHASE OF RIOT CONTROL EQUIPMENT. WE HAVE BEEN IN TOUCH WITH LOCAL MUNITIONS FIRM, WHO ASSURES US THAT ALL EQUIPMENT REQUESTED IS AVAILABLE FOR SHIPMENT TO CYPRUS WITHIN ONE WEEK ONCE ORDER IS PLACED. WE HAVE ALSO COORDINATED WITH APPROPRIATE OFFICES TO ENSURE THAT MUNITIONS EXPORT LICENSE CAN BE OBTAINED EXPEDITIOUSLY AND HAVE RECEIVED FCO APPROVAL FOR SHIPMENT OF SUCH MUNITIONS MATERIAL THROUGH AKROTIRI.

2. MAIN CAUSE OF DELAY HAS BEEN QUESTION OF US MILITARY TRANSPORT AND FACT THAT AT EVERY STEP ALONG THE WAY WE EXPECTED TO BE IN POSITION TO GIVE DEFINITE ANSWER MOMENTARILY. NUMEROUS INITIAL INQUIRIES IN THIS REGARD
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 STATE 055339

YIELDED UNCONVINCING NEGATIVE RESPONSES. FURTHER INVESTI-

GATION, HOWEVER, REVEALED THAT SHIPMENT OF EQUIPMENT VIA
U.S. MILITARY AIRCRAFT WOULD BE POSSIBLE ON REIMBURSABLE
BASIS PROVIDING DOD CONCURRED.

3. DEPARTMENT HAS NOW REQUESTED DOD CONCURRENCE AND EXPECTS
EXPEDITIOUS REPLY AND WILL SUPPLY EMBASSY WITH FULL DETAILS
ASAP. AGAIN, WE REGRET DELAY. INGERSOLL

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: Z
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: RIOT CONTROL, EQUIPMENT, REPORTS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 12 MAR 1975
Decaption Date: 28 MAY 2004
Decaption Note: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: CunninFX
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975STATE055339
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: RWERDMAN:CF
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750086-1050
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19750357/aaaabz kf.tel
Line Count: 68
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ORIGIN EUR
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: STADIS
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: STADIS
Reference: 75 NICOSIA 949, 75 NICOSIA 756, 75 NICOSIA 532
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: CunninFX
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 07 MAY 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <07 MAY 2003 by CunninFX>; APPROVED <30 SEP 2003 by CunninFX>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
05 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: RIOT CONTROL EQUIPMENT FOR GOC
TAGS: PFOR, ASEC, CY, US
To: NICOSIA
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006